Documents on Diplomacy: Exercises

The Menacing Cloud Analysis Sheet

You will need a copy of the Alien & Sedition Documents

1. On the gray construction paper provided by your teacher draw a big cloud with three extended little clouds, like above, and list in the big cloud all the verbs and/or verb phrases that the Alien Acts and Sedition Acts enumerate to protect the country from foreigners and their possible deeds. (For example: "to excite against them")

In the three small clouds write the names of 3 Americans who were taken to court due to these acts. (Research required here)

- **2.** Once you have completed your individual sheet confer with 3 others in the class and add any ideas that may have been overlooked to your sheets.
- **3.** With your three collaborators, fill in all the verbs and verb clauses that you have on the big poster

cloud in front of classroom. Do not repeat any that are already listed by other collaborators.

- **4.** Save your individual sheet in your notebook for further lessons on the National Period and The Civil War.
- **5.** Look at the documents again and record here a short summary of each part and any other points you want to remember.

FOUR PARTS OF ACTS	SHORT SUMMARY OF PART
Naturalization	
Alien	
Alien Enemies Act	
Sedition Act	
Other	